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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
KEN TSUCHII) : Examiner: R. Gordon
Application No.: 10/151,056) : Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: May 21, 2002) : Allowed: April 8, 2003
For: INK JET RECORDING HEAD) : Confirmation No.: 3168
) : December 8, 2003

Attn: Office of Petitions
Crystal Plaza 4, Room 3C23

Mail Stop 313(c)
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)

Sir:

The issue fee having been paid on July 8, 2003, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2), to withdraw the above-referenced application from issue for consideration of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

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EXPEDITED HANDLING REQUESTED

While Applicant understands that an issue date for the present application has not yet been set, expedited handling of this Petition is respectfully requested.

The Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 filed on July 8, 2003 constitutes a submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Enclosed herewith are an RCE Transmittal, a revised Substitute Specification (marked-up and clean versions), and a Letter Submitting Revised Substitute Specification and Preliminary Remarks.

FORMAL MATTERS: AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE PETITION FEE

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the \$130.00 Petition fee and any other fees necessitated by these papers to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is attached for this purpose.

REQUEST FOR INTERVIEW

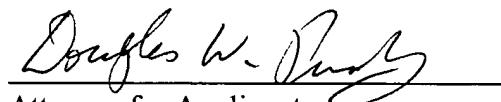
If any questions remain, Applicant respectfully requests that the Office of Petitions contact Applicant's undersigned representative at (202) 530-1010.

CONCLUSION

It is requested that the present application be withdrawn from issue for consideration of the RCE, the Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312, the revised Substitute Specification, and the Letter Submitting Revised Substitute Specification and Preliminary Remarks. Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly solicited.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,



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